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Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.56, and in recognition of their duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office relevant information known to be material to patentability, Applicants herewith submit copies of the prior art listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. The prior art references Nos. 1-4 are cited in the attached International Search Report for PCT Application No. PCT/JP2004/008893.

The relevance of the prior art references Nos. 1-4 can be found in the English translation of the International Search Report attached hereto.

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Applicants respectfully request that the disclosed references be made of record in the subject application.

Respectfully submitted,

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